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(Amendment 5 to B. A. I. Order 281)  
(Amendment 7 to B. A. I. Order 286)

## United States Department of Agriculture

### BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY

**Amendment 5 to B. A. I. Order 281 (Regulations Governing the Importation of Domestic Livestock and Other Animals Into the United States) and Amendment 7 to B. A. I. Order 286 (Regulations Governing the Sanitary Handling and Control of Hides, Fleshings, Hide Cuttings, Parings, and Glue Stock, Sheepskins and Goatskins and Parts Thereof, Hair, Wool, and Other Animal By-products, Hay, Straw, Forage, or Similar Material, Offered for Entry Into the United States)**

*Effective January 1, 1927*

In order to guard against the introduction into the United States from Mexico of the contagious, communicable disease known as foot-and-mouth disease it is hereby ordered, under authority of the act of Congress approved February 2, 1903 (32 Stat. 791), that no cattle, sheep, goats, other ruminants or swine, and no hay, straw, or other feeding materials originating in that portion of the Republic of Mexico situated southeast, east, and northeast of the Tehuantepec National Railway which crosses the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, or shipped via and unloaded within the said described area, shall be admitted into the United States.

It is further ordered that no hides, skins, or other animal by-products originating in or shipped via and unloaded within that portion of the Republic of Mexico situated south of the Tropic of Cancer, shall be admitted into the United States, except in compliance with the following conditions:

1. After arrival in the United States they shall be handled in accordance with the methods specified by the chief of bureau.
2. Hides and skins shall be disinfected under the supervision of a bureau inspector by one of the methods specified in B. A. I. Order 256, dated December 14, 1917, for the disinfection of such products after arrival in the United States.
3. Animal by-products other than hides and skins shall be disinfected under the supervision of a bureau inspector, in accordance with such methods as may be prescribed by the chief of bureau.

B. A. I. Order 281, dated February 15, 1923, and effective May 1, 1923, as amended, and B. A. I. Order 286, dated May 29, 1924, and effective September 1, 1924, as amended, are hereby further amended accordingly.

Amendment 3 to said Order 281 and Amendment 4 to said Order 286, both dated May 7, 1926, are revoked.

This order, which is designated as Amendment 5 to B. A. I. Order 281 and Amendment 7 to B. A. I. Order 286, shall take effect on January 1, 1927.

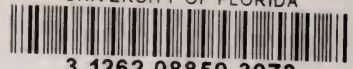


Done at Washington this 11th day of December, 1926.  
Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of  
Agriculture.

*W M Jardine*  
Secretary of Agriculture.

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